

## NEWS FROM OVER THE COUNTY.

Many Interesting Items Gathered By The Sentinel's Wide-a-Wake Correspondents from Various Sections of the County.

### News From Craig.

—Mr. and Mrs. King Gillenwater were St. Joseph visitors on Wednesday of last week.

—Mrs. W. H. Frame, of Fairfax, was guest of Mrs. R. M. Williams, one day, last week.

—James Walker, one of Fairfax's prosperous citizens, was a sojourner in Craig, Wednesday.

—Mrs. W. G. Maler and daughters, of Bigelow, were visitors at the home of M. P. Smith and family, the last of the week.

—Miss Frances Anibal will occupy the place behind the counter at Anibal's store during the vacation of Miss Bessie Story.

—The Embree Dog and Pony show exhibited in Craig, Wednesday afternoon and night. It was a really good show and a treat for the children.

—Mrs. Mary Simms returned from Cumbech, Nebraska, Thursday evening, where she has been the past three months with her son, Frank.

—Miss Edith Root, of Horton, Kansas, returned to her home Friday, after a three weeks' visit with her uncle, Duke Morris and his family.

—Mrs. W. A. Groesbeck, of Fairfax, drove down to Craig, Thursday, to meet her mother, Mrs. J. H. Punction, of Kansas City, who came up on the afternoon passenger.

—Charles Griffith, of St. Joseph, came up Saturday evening to visit kin folks, and incidentally to ascertain how bad the crops were affected by the recent storms and floods on his farm, near here.

—Prosecuting Attorney Tibbels was a visitor in the city, Monday. Parties here promise to support him for Governor, if he will "arrest" the Big Tank and put it in "Confinement" the rest of its days.

—Mrs. James Gambrel, of Hamburg, arrived in town, Wednesday. She will visit a few days with her old neighbors and friends in town and then will go to Felix Gambrel's for a stay of several days.

—A large number of our farmers, from the west part of the country, are in Savannah, this week, as witnesses and plaintiffs in the numerous damage suits brought against the Big Tank Drainage District.

—George Harper, living five miles south of Craig, lost a very valuable horse by lightning last Friday night. The lightning struck a walnut tree near the animal, and jumped some twenty feet from the tree to the horse.

—The Folly atradome people are arranging to pull off a few free stunts on our streets for the entertainment of the public next week. Among them a man is to hold a cannon in his teeth while it is discharged. We want to see that.

—Charles Buchholz, of Falls City, came over Tuesday to look after his farming interests in this locality. He took a team and drove over the greater part of the drainage district to see for himself the condition the floods had left things in.

—Miss Bessie Story has arranged to begin her annual vacation from store life next Friday. She will spend a part of her vacation at Union Star with her friend, Miss Reka Klier. Her vacation will extend over a period of three weeks.

—Billy Redmon and his mother, Mrs. Mary Redmon, have purchased of Jack Scott the fourteen-acre tract of land, located on the hillside, east of town. They will get possession the first of March and will make it their permanent home.

—M. A. (Sandy) Spencer went to Forest City, Monday, to consult the German doctor at that place, concerning his disability. Sandy has been sick all spring and summer and has not found relief. It is feared that he is afflicted with tuberculosis.

—Mr. and Mrs. Conyer Stokes, of Kansas City, came up Saturday evening, to visit over Sunday with Mother Stokes and other relatives. They will return home Tuesday. Con is pretty well satisfied in his new situation, and is doing a nice business.

—Miss Eva Sharp returned Sunday from the Springs near Burlington Junction, where she has been receiving treatment for rheumatism. She is improving fast, but not completely well. She will probably return after a short visit with her parents.

—The Methodist Sunday school is going to have a picnic, a week from this coming Friday. The location for the picnic has not yet been selected, but a committee is arranging for a suitable place for it. Everybody is invited to attend, and enjoy the day.

—The folders and booklets, detailing the Chautauqua in Craig from the 17th to the 22nd of August, are being distributed. According to the

booklet, we are to be entertained by some of the best talent in the country. The Chautauqua will be above the ordinary and will reflect credit on those who are in charge.

—E. L. Gaffney has finally broke over and joined the motorists. Last week he bought a fine five-passenger Overland, and now any time one can see him or some member of the family learning to drive it on the hills, near his home. Well, the most unexpected are the things that happen these days. Who will be the next?

—Thomas D. Frazer, of St. Joseph, was a visitor in Craig last Monday. Mr. Frazer is an uncle of four esteemed townsmen, Frank K. Allen, and at one time, some thirty-five years ago, was interested in several mercantile concerns in Craig. He states that many of the old landmarks are gone, but he was able to meet several of those he knew in former days.

—During the terrific down-pour of rain and the deadly flashes of lightning last Friday night, the herd of mules belonging to E. B. Strickler became frightened and ran into the wire fence; some of them were very badly cut, one died the next morning and three or four are practically ruined as far as market purposes are concerned. There were thirty in the herd, all more or less cut by the wire.

—The many rains and bad weather have helped to cut up the streets and roads in and around Craig fearfully. The business men of the town have made up a sum of several hundred dollars to fix them, but the rains have kept the workmen from the work so much that the streets are getting worse rather than better. There will come a time when we can work, but when?

—Miss Ruth Smith departed Friday for a five weeks' visit to Denver, Colorado. She will tarry in Kansas City a day or so, and then proceed to Lamar, Colorado, where she will visit a week or ten days with her brother, Henley, who is a postal clerk at that place, thence she will continue her journey to Denver, where she will be the guest of her sister, Luda, during the remainder of her vacation.

—Captain John Michel, a representative of Nave McCord Mercantile Company, of St. Joseph, was in Craig, Friday, investigating the conditions of the community after the flood and trying to ascertain just how bad the country was hurt so that his concern might get a fair estimate for the future business they might expect from this district. He says that we are in fine condition, compared to some parts of the country that he has already visited.

—Mr. and Mrs. George Adams, of Minneapolis, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Horn, Saturday and Sunday. Our people will remember Mrs. Adams better by the name of Miss Frances Elliott, who taught in our schools some seven years ago. Mr. Adams has been engaged in the automobile business in Minneapolis for the past year, but is moving his business to Joplin, where he expects to conduct an extensive business in the sale of automobiles.

—T. A. Ward and little son, Thomas, were passengers to St. Joseph on the noon train, Sunday. Mr. Ward went to consult a physician about his condition, brought about by being ivy poisoned some two weeks ago and from which he can find no relief. While there he will have the physicians examine the arm of his son, which was broken five or six weeks ago and did not heal perfectly. The little fellow has lost the use of the arm almost entirely and it is believed that it will have to be operated on, or broken over and reset.

—Rose, the twenty-two-months-old baby of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Wise, died Tuesday evening, after two weeks of severe suffering from spinal meningitis. The mother of the baby has been very ill for a number of months and the little one has been cared for in the home of its aunt, Mrs. Leeper, and its grandmother, Mrs. Preston Wise. A trained nurse and the best of medical skill has always been in attendance since the babe became ill, but nothing could deter the hand of Providence that moves in a mysterious way His wonders to perform. The God giveth and the God taketh away.

—Monday night, the fine plate glass in the Judy store was broken by some one bent on robbery and a ladies' gold watch taken from the show window, also the plate glass in the 10-cent store was broken and a number of Ingemoll dollar watches were taken. The officers are investigating the matter with a pretty good clue as to who is the perpetrator of the deeds. Craig has had several such petty stealing and breaking into houses and stores, but the people are tired and some one is going to pay the penalty sure. The plate glass in the Judy

building is valued at one hundred dollars. There was a hole knocked in it a little larger than a man's hand, and it seems as though it was done with a hammer or similar instrument.

—Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Taylor returned from St. Joseph, Thursday evening, where they have been for several days, consulting physicians regarding Mr. Taylor's health. Mr. Taylor has been ailing for a long time, with indigestion and similar stomach sickness, and in spite of the care and treatment he has given himself, grows worse. In the opinion of the physician consulted, the trouble had its origin nineteen years ago, when Mr. Taylor, together with his father and other members of the family were poisoned at the supper table. The father died and it was thought at that time that Bob would die. The physician thinks that at that time the stomach was so deranged that the digestive organs have never since been able to perform their functions. Just what consolation Mr. Taylor has been given by the physician upon which to build his hope, we have not learned, but trust that the difficulty will be overcome and arrested before it is too late. GOOD ENOUGH.

### Fortescue.

—C. E. Hiltz made a business trip to St. Joseph, Friday.

—C. W. Craig made a business trip to St. Joseph, Monday.

—Hugh Henry and son, Herman, spent Monday in St. Joseph.

—Emery Hays, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Hays, has the mumps.

—Jay Minton was the guest of friends in St. Joseph, over Sunday.

—Miss Muggs Minton returned Friday from a short visit in St. Joseph.

—Wm. Hopper, Sr., and Wm. Hopper, Jr., spent Monday in St. Joseph.

—Harold Kahn and G. H. Minton shipped hogs to St. Joseph, Thursday.

—J. W. Hill is having his house painted. J. H. Banker is doing the work.

—Leo Meyer and Glen Yancey, of St. Joseph, are visiting Jay and Zoe Minton.

—Mrs. Stella Craig returned Tuesday from a short visit with friends in St. Joseph.

—Mrs. John Iden and Miss Zephia Iden were shopping in St. Joseph, Wednesday.

—Miss Edna Dunn, of St. Joseph, was the guest of Miss Nell Minton for the week-end.

—Dr. and Mrs. Wm. Minton, of St. Joseph, spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives.

—Mr. and Mrs. Roy Williams, of Reno, spent Sunday with their mother, Mrs. Setta Williams.

—Mr. and Mrs. Ed Reiger, of Preston, visited over Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Henderson.

—Miss Mae Catron spent Sunday with Miss Genevieve Price, who is visiting at the S. M. Howard home.

—Miss Nellie Minton has gone to Warrensburg to visit her mother, who is attending the State Normal at that place.

—Norma Vall, of Horton, who has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. R. C. Brownlee, returned to her home, Wednesday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Dodson entertained with an evening party Wednesday. A large crowd was present and a most enjoyable time reported.

—The meeting that is being held in the tent by the holiness people is drawing large crowds. Afternoon meetings are held for the children and also have good attendances.

—Thos. Cain and family, who have been living on Dr. I. M. Minton's farm, near Bigelow, had to move out on account of the high water and are now living in Mrs. Julia Minton's house.

—George Poynter, of Bigelow, came down Monday and took the train for Savannah to attend the Big Ditch trial. Those from here who accompanied him were: John E. Slater, Judge VanCamp, Chas. and Elmer Barker.

—The ball game at the Lake Sunday ended in defeat for Fortescue, Arkansas being the opposing side. The score stood nine to ten. This was the third game played, the other two being won by the Fortescue bunch. Our boys have been very busy this week explaining how it all happened, as they have been accused by many of being over confident.

—Sam Alkire has a real natural curiosity down at his house, and is thinking of starting a side show to go with some big circus. It is a fish that can walk, and it can do it, too, for it has four perfectly good legs and of course the same number of feet. This sounds like some story, but if you don't believe it, and want to take a trip up to Alkire's, Sam can show you. ITIMIZER.

### Obituary.

Our community was deeply grieved Wednesday, July 21, to learn of the death of one of our most highly respected citizens, George Banker. While he had been ill for many

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Horse Shoe and Star Tobacco, per pound.....	40c
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months, and there was little chance of his recovery, his friends and relatives had hopes that he would again be able to be up and around.

George H. Banker was born in Butler county, Ohio, March 15, 1837. He came to Missouri in 1850, locating near Oregon, where he lived until 1880, when he came to Fortescue and made his home with Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Carter, at whose home he died.

He was married early in life to a Miss Miller, who died a year or two after their marriage. Their infant child also died.

He had nine brothers and sisters, all of whom he survived, with the exception of one sister, Mrs. Martha Wallace, of Marcola, Oregon. He leaves nine nieces and nephews, who are: Miss Belle Noland, Mrs. Martha Blevins, Miss Eliza Johnson, Miss Phoebe Wallace, John Banker, George Carter, George Inks, Andy Inks, Byron Johnson and J. E. Martin.

Mr. Banker was a man of many admirable qualities, absolutely honest and straight-forward in all his dealings with his fellow men. He leaves many true friends to mourn his death. Interment was in the Boyd cemetery, Thursday, July 22.

### Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank the friends and neighbors who so kindly assisted during the sickness and death of our uncle, Geo. Banker, and especially the railroad company, including the section men. JOHN HENRY BANKER, J. E. MARTIN, MRS. MARTHA BLEVINS.

### Forbes Items.

—Mr. W. S. Gossett spent Saturday in St. Joseph.

—Leeland Whittemore spent Sunday with Amos Baker.

—Mrs. A. Hutton is spending the week in Kansas City.

—Mr. Will Guyer came in Saturday from a trip in Western Kansas.

—The Ladies' embroidery club met at Mrs. John Milne's, Wednesday.

—Miss Blanche Catron visited over Sunday with Miss Laura Douglas.

—Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Ledgerwood spent Saturday night in St. Joseph.

—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Locke visited last Wednesday at the John Milne home.

—Mrs. Colhour, of St. Joseph, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Arthur Greenlee.

—Mr. and Mrs. Ubel Banks spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and

### Mrs. Raiser.

—Mr. and Mrs. Ross Smith and son, of Stanberry, are visiting her sister, Mrs. F. Locke.

—Miss Frankie Harrison returned to her home in Garden Grove, Kansas, after a two weeks' visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Harrison.

—Friday evening, a crowd of friends and neighbors gathered at the home of Will Worley and wife and gave them a very pleasant surprise. They found both, Will and his wife, good entertainers. All departed saying they had a glorious time and hoping to meet at the Worley home often. The refreshments were fruits, ice cream and cake. N X N.

### New Point.

—Ernie Kurtz and family visited at Lyle Bender's, Sunday.

—Dr. Pierce and family, of Oregon, visited the Glenn home, Sunday.

—Owen Lentz and family spent Sunday at the Arlo Huntsman home.

—Messames E. A. Kelly and Will Acton went to Maltland, Sunday. Mrs. Kelly visited at the home of "Father" Kelly, and Mrs. Acton at Robert Cowan's.

—Mrs. Logan Hays' father, Mr. Williams, and sister, Mrs. Harry Taylor, were called here by the serious sickness of her mother, who is visiting here. They returned to their home in Weston, Tuesday, taking Mrs. Williams home.

—The stork made another visit, Thursday morning, July 22, with Dr. Wood, of Oregon, and left a baby boy at the home of Arlo Huntsman and wife. Cleo thinks little brother is real nice, and Mr. Huntsman can hardly see the unfortunate ones. Mother and son doing well. NERO.

### Union Items.

—Mrs. James Noland spent Sunday with Mrs. James Jackson.

—Master Freddie Lacey spent Sunday with Kenneth Jackson.

—Miss Mamie Nichols spent Sunday evening with home folks.

—Misses Goldie and Vianna Hood spent Sunday with home folks.

—Dewey and Earnest Grahams spent Sunday with Clyde Ferguson.

—Charles O. Weis and family have moved into their new residence.

—Jessie Cain and family spent Sunday with Earl Wilson and family.

—Several from this vicinity attend-

ed the ball game Sunday at New Point.

—Charles Owens and family spent Sunday with Mr. John Greiner and family.

—Alberta Guthrie and Helen Gould spent Sunday afternoon with Lois Callow.

—Miss Pearl and Alma Owens spent Friday afternoon with Mrs. Levi French.

—Sunday school was well attended Sunday, there being 65 present and \$1.50 collection.

—George Ferguson and Dewey Greiner made their usual trip to Benton, Sunday evening.

—Mr. and Mrs. Albert Gould spent Sunday with the former's brother, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Gould.

—Miss Florence Miller returned to Forest City, Saturday, after spending the week with her cousin, Miss Mary Lacey.

—Mr. and Mrs. Jasper Radley and family, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Callow and family, Mrs. John Greiner and children, Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Wicker spent Sunday evening with Charles Owens and family. JENNIE.

### Napier and Vicinity.

—Mrs. Charlie Paxton is able to be up and around again.

—Gladys Paxton is staying with her sister, Mrs. Joe Maley.

—Mrs. Ike Book spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ogden.

—Ezra Martin and family spent Sunday evening with Elmer Swope and family.

—R. S. Brown and family, of Bagby, spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. J. J. Brown.

—Mrs. Ezra Martin and baby and Nellie Book spent Monday with John Book and family.

—Mr. and Mrs. Roy English and children spent Sunday with C. C. Brown and family.

—Mr. and Mrs. John Whipple and son, Harlow, spent Sunday evening with C. C. Brown and family.

—L. A. Banks was at the Fred Cotter place, Monday. Lew says he likes to get back at the old home place.

—Ethel Byrd, Florence, Mary, Zelma and Robert Brown spent Sunday evening at the C. C. Brown home. Nemo.